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MEHL'S COIN CIRCULAR

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
AN OCCASIONAL ORDER

This Circular lists special offers, new issues, brief Numismatic comment and items of interest in connection with my business ~ ~ ~ ~ ~



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NUMISMATIST

MEHL BUILDING

FORT WORTH ~ ~ ~ TEXAS

Oh, Shucks—

I shan't make any more mention about my good intentions of issuing the COIN CIRCULAR more often. Every time I sit down to prepare copy for the CIRCULAR, something bobs up to delay: Either an important order comes in, or a call to some distant city for the purchase of a large collection. (And during the last year these calls came often. Having handled nearly twenty important collections.)

So I'll just do my best. Shall issue a COIN CIRCULAR whenever and as often as I possibly can. It will be sent free to those who care for it. And about the only way I can tell whether or not you care for it is by your sending in an order now and then.

As it has been some time since the last issue of the COIN CIRCULAR appeared, it has given this issue a chance to "fatten up." But the prices at which the various items are here offered are such that this issue of the COIN CIRCULAR won't stay "fat" very long.

So—if you see what you want in this COIN CIRCULAR please SEND FOR IT. Do not write and ask if I still have it. I may have it when you write but in the meantime a cash order may come in. And these cash orders for items offered in the COIN CIRCULAR are ALWAYS given preference.

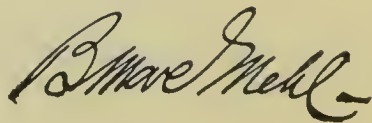
Don't misunderstand me, I gladly send coins on approval to those whose good standing is known to me. But the offers in this CIRCULAR are special. They are priced to sell, and usually only one item of each in stock. So, as mentioned before, orders with cash in 'em are given the right-o-way.

Everything is sold with my guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money refunded. And remember, my guarantee is backed by more than twenty-five years of successful numismatic business and a financial rating unequalled by any other numismatic establishment.

So, send in your orders promptly—and often.

Cordially,

Fort Worth, Texas,
Feb. 2, 1927.



The Following

UNITED STATES PATTERN COINS

are probably not "Bargains" JUST NOW, but if you are not past 100 years old, you'll SOON see the day when you wished you had bought these at the following

REASONABLE PRICES

1792, Mint Trial piece for U. S. Cent. Eagle. Size of large cent. Semi-proof. \$10.

1838 Half Dollar. Beautiful Liberty bust. Reverse, standing eagle. A-W 70. Silver proof. \$15.

(1849) 3c. Same type as A-W 109 but struck in copper nickel. Not listed in A-W. Unc. \$20.

1850, 3c, silver. Liberty cap. A-W 110. Proof. \$5.50.

1851 Cent. Liberty seated, as on 20c piece. A-W 148. Copper. Thick planchet. Proof. \$12.

1852, Ring Dollar. A-W 168. Thin planchet. Dull proof. \$10.

1853 Cent. Type of \$2.50 gold piece. Struck in nickel. A-W 171. Proof. \$10.

1854 Flying Eagle Cent. A-W 191, Rarity 10. Proof. \$10.

1856 Half Cent. Copper-nickel. A-W 216. Bright proof. Very rare. \$15.

1858 Indian Head Cent. Laurel wreath. A-W 264. Proof. \$3.50.

1858 Cent. Flying Eagle. Reverse, beautiful shield, oak wreath. A-W 246. Brilliant proof. \$4.50.

1858 Pattern gold dollar, silver alloy. Not in A-W. Ex. Rare. Fine. \$20.

1859 Half Dollar, Paquet design. A-W 291. Liberty seated. Silver proof. \$8.50.

1859 Half Dollar, Paquet design. Liberty seated. A-W 292. Copper proof. \$5.

UNITED STATES PATTERN COIN—Continued

- 1862 \$10, God Our Trust. A-W 294. Copper proof. \$4.
1862 \$10, God Our Trust. Copper, gilded. A-W 355.
Rare. \$8.50.
1862 \$10, Motto in field. A-W 356. Bronze proof. \$6.
1862 Half Dollar. Motto, God Our Trust, on scroll.
Bronze proof. \$5.
1863, 10c. U. S. shield, arrows, "Postage Currency."
A-W 382. Aluminum. Brilliant proof. \$4.
1863, 2c, portrait of Washington. A-W 404. Copper
proof. \$6.
1863, 2c, Washington. A-W 405. B. Proof, dulled. \$4.50.
1863, 2c, A-W 414. Thick planchet. Proof. \$4.
1863, Cent. Copper nickel. Milled edge. A-W 425.
Rarity 12. Brilliant proof. Extremely rare. \$20.
1863 Cent. Thin planchet. A-W 423. Pure copper.
Proof. \$5.50.
1864, 3c, silver type, but struck in bronze. Not in A-W.
Proof. Excessively rare. \$25.
1864 Cent. L on ribbon. A-W 466. Uncirculated. \$5.
1864, 2c. Variety with ball at end of shield over and
to left of 6. Proof. \$2.
1864, 2c. Ball at end of shield between 8 and 6.
Proof. \$2.
1867, 5c. Obverse, type of 3c nickel. A-W 626, Rarity
10. Nickel proof. \$10.
1867, 5c. Similar to A-W 626 but the word CENTS
curved. Not in A-W. Nickel. Dull proof. Extremely rare.
\$22.50.
1868, 10c. Type of large U. S. Cent. A-W 670. Proof. \$15.
1868, 5c. Large planchet, broad borders. A-W 684,
Rarity 10. Nickel proof. \$12.50.
1868, 3c. Aluminum. A-W 691. Very rare. Proof. \$8.50.
1869, 5c. Large V. A-W 803. Nickel. Brilliant proof.
\$5.50.
1869, 3c. Type similar to regular issue. A-W 815. Nickel
proof. \$4.50.
1870, Quarter Dollar. Star on forehead. A-W 958. Sil-
ver proof. \$3.

UNITED STATES PATTERN COIN—Continued

1870 Half Dime. Liberty seated. A-W 1047, Rarity 10. Bronze. Very rare. \$8.50.

1875, 20c. Liberty seated on globe. A-W 1442. Silver proof. Very rare. \$16.

1878, Dollar. Beautiful head. Reverse, standing eagle. A-W 1562. Purple proof. \$12.50.

1878 Golloid Metric Dollar. A-W 1570. V. rare date. \$12.

1879 Golloid Metric Dollar. A-W 1598. \$7.50.

1879 Silver Metric Dollar. Proof. \$7.50.

1881, 3c. Obverse, type of nickel. Copper. Brilliant proof. A-W 1652. Very rare. \$12.

1882, 5c. A-W 1668. Bronze proof. Very rare. \$12.

1882, 5c. The type adopted in 1883. A-W 1672. Nickel. Brilliant proof. Very rare. \$12.50.

1882, 5c. Shield type. Struck in bronze. A-W 1679. Proof. Very rare. \$12.

1883, 5c. Reverse, 50 N. 50 C. A-W 1689. N. P. R. \$12.50.

1883, 5c. Reverse, 75 N. 25 C. A-W 1692. Brilliant proof. Very rare. \$12.50.

1849, California, Model Dollar. Eagle. Brass. Uncirculated. Very rare. \$10.

California, Model Dollar. Type of the 1884 issue. Brass. Extremely rare. \$15.

1849, California Model Half Eagle. Brass. Very fine. Very rare. \$12.

1849, California Model Half Eagle. Brass but silvered as issued. Very rare. \$12.

California, 1850, Gold Mines Token. Two bears. Reverse, eagle. Size of \$20. Fine. \$12.

1877, Quarter Dollar. Crudely struck piece in silver. Not a cast. Very good. \$3.

1808, Half Cent. Curious double-struck head. Good. \$1.

Colorado, 1860, \$10. View of Pikes Peak. Uncirculated. Very rare. More so than the gold specimen. \$25.

1866, 5c. Portrait of Washington. Reverse, figure 5 in wreath. Nickel proof. Very rare. \$20.

1858, Flying Eagle Cent. Reverse, laurel wreath. Copper nickel. Dull proof. \$3.

1866, Dollar. Type of regular issue but struck in copper. A-W 534. Uncirculated. \$12.

Who Wants This Fine Collection of American Store Cards?

Another good intention gone wrong. If this collection of American Store Cards would be assorted, listed and priced separately, they would undoubtedly net about \$1 each, as there are some mighty rare pieces in the collection. But with an auction sale in the offing, I can't stop to sort these things, and as I do not want to deprive the collector of his pleasure in assorting and making his "finds" (?), I offer the

Entire Collection of 192 Tokens

for only \$26.

[Just think—at less than 15c each!]

And a Bargain in a Medal Collection

This collection of medals is offered for the same reason as the collection of Store Cards. Don't confuse these medals with the usual unassorted lots. There are medals here which, if priced separately, would bring up to \$5 each. Mostly all in bronze, from medium to large size. Some of finest artistic designs. Price for the

ENTIRE COLLECTION OF 22 FINE MEDALS

ONLY \$8.25

First Cash Order Gets 'em

Not Her Fault

Mr. Skimp—"I don't see how you had this counterfeit bill passed on you."

Mrs. Skimp—"Well, you don't let me see enough real money to enable me to tell the difference."—New Haven Register.

How Many of These Coins Have YOU Ever Seen?

You may get acquainted with them here. And you may "see" them at the prices marked.

UNUSUAL SILVER COINS—OF RARITY— INTEREST—AND QUALITY!

Berne, Switzerland, old Medallie Gymnasium Crown. City standing beside palm. Proof. \$3.50.

Naples, 1810, Scudo of 12 Carlini, of Prince Murat, Grand Admiral of France. Brill. Unc. Fine portrait. \$10.

Interregnum, 1814, 5 Francs. Original with inscribed edge. Unc. Rare. \$25.

France, Louis XVI., 1786, Pattern Ecu or Dollar by Broz. Original with lettered edge. Brill. proof. A magnificent and rare coin. \$25.

New Guinea, 1894, 5 Marks or Dollar. Bird of Paradise. Ex. F. \$3.75.

Manilla, 1828, Dollar struck on Peru 8 Real piece. Fine for coin. Rare. \$5.50.

Mantua, 1848, 20 Kr. Siege coin. Struck by General Gurzkowski. About unc. \$3.50.

Mantua, 1848, Gulden as last. Fine. \$4.25.

Ceylon, 1821, Rix Dollar. Ex. F. \$3.25.

Bolivia, 1826, Proclamation piece. Lima. Constitution within wreath. Unc. \$4.50.

Comora Islands, Dollar. Brill. mint state. \$6.50.

Gold Coast, 1750, the rare set of Ackey, Half Ackey and $\frac{1}{4}$ Ackey. Silver proofs. The set seldom offered. The Ackey alone catalogs at \$12. The set, \$15.50.

France, 1874, Napoleon IV., Pretender, 5 Francs. Proof. Rare. \$9.50.

Scotland, 1582, James VI., 30 Shillings. Half length bust of King with sword. Rare. Cat. \$10. About F. \$6.50.

Russia, 1921 to 1923, Bolshiviki, 10 K., 15K., 20 K., Half Rouble and Rouble. Unc. Rare set. \$10

Prussia, 1783 to '85. Thaler with portrait of Frederick the Great. V. G. \$1.75.

FINE SWISS SET

Set or little collection of the interesting Switzerland commemorative Crowns. Shooting Fests, etc. All beautiful designs. Size of dollar. Collection of five diff. Only \$10.

Coins from Out-of-the-Way Places

Coins You Seldom Hear of and Less Often See

Gold Coast, 1818, Half Ackey, silver. Proof. Rare. \$5.25.

Ancient Egypt, small glass coin. 75c.

Siam, Porcelain money or tokens, small size, round and octagon. 2 pieces, 65c.

Japan, ancient Bean money. Curious. Rare. Each \$1.10 or three diff. vars. for \$3.

Siam, old Porcelain tokens. Three diff. \$1.25.

China, brass Temple coin, 8 characters in circle. Larger than U. S. Dollar. V. G. \$1.25.

China, silver coin, larger than U. S. Half Dollar. Type of Cash. V. G. Rare. \$3.60.

China, large brass 50 Cash piece. Fine. \$1.25.

China, large brass, 100 Cash piece. Very rare. \$3.25.

China, Ancient Knife money, supposed to be over 3000 years old, guaranteed genuine. Each \$3.50.

India, Mysore, set of three Dumps. Elephant, tiger, etc. Scarce. The set of 3, \$2.65.

China, Macao, wooden gambling token or money with ivory center. \$1.25.

China, heavy thick bronze or iron coin, octagonal. Rare. \$2.25.

Java, 1790, thick Stuiver. Scarce. 75c.

Japan, Bamboo money. Interesting. 75c.

Japan, silver bar of the Meiwa era, 1765. Oblong, native characters. V. F. Rare. \$5.

Spain (1474-1504). Ferdinand & Isabella, 1 and 2 Reals. V. F. Rare set. The pair, \$3.

Prussia, 1915, 3 Marks commemorating silver taken from Mansfield mines. Type of old coinage of Mansfield. Last Prussian coin struck. Brill. proof. \$6.50.

A good reputation can be made by playing the game fairly; by giving the worth of a dollar for a dollar; by a cheerful co-operation under very trying conditions; by carrying on in the face of difficulties; by doing one's best and sitting tight; and by being resolute enough to own up to your own mistakes.

COINS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN COINS

have been for the past two or three years in good demand—and rightly so. They form a most interesting historical chapter to the history of these countries as well as to our own.

The Coins Here Offered

are not of the greatest rarity, but they are of the scarcer, and "hard to get" kind. Quality 'way above average. Prices, just about right.

Please order promptly, and please, "cash with order."

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN GOLD

Brazil, 1808, 4000 Reis. Cross. Rev., crowned shield and value. About unc. \$12.

Brazil, 1707, 1000 Reis. Fine. \$3.25.

Brazil, 1778, 2000 Reis. V. F. \$9.

Brazil, 1806, 6400 Reis. Bust of John. V. F. \$16.50.

Brazil, 1895, 10,000 Reis. V. F. \$15.

Bogota, 1825, 8 Scudos. Brill. mint luster. \$25.

Bogota, 1844, 16 Pesos. V. F. \$24.

Chili, 1917, 20 Pesos. Unc. \$12.

Chili, 1859, 5 Pesos. V. G. Scarce. \$6.

Chili, 1874, 2 Pesos. Unc. \$4.

Columbia, 1872, Peso. Condor. Fine. \$5.

Columbia, 1825, Peso. Bogota Mint. Fine. \$4.50.

Columbia, 1827, 2 Pesos, Popayan. V. F. \$3.75.

Costa Rico, ½ Escudo. Sun behind mountains. Ex. F. \$3.50.

Costa Rico, 1854, ½ Escudo. The rare type with female leaning against pedestal. Fine. \$7.50.

Costa Rico, 1900, 2 Colognes. Portrait of Columbus. Unc. \$2.50.

Mexico, 2 Scudos, Chihuahua. Fine. \$5.25.

Honduras, 1821, Peso. About unc. \$25.

Mexico, 1866, 20 Pesos of Maximillian. V. F. \$25.

Nicaragua, 1820, 1 Scudo. Unc., mint luster. \$5.

Nicaragua, 1765, Doubloon, Charles III. V. F. Scarce. \$27.50.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN COINS—Continued

- Popayan, 1814, 1 Escudo, Ferd. VII. V. F. Rare. \$5.
 Popayan, 1791, Carolus IV., 2 Escudos. V. G. \$6.50.
 Peru, 1919, 1/5 Libra. Indian Princess. Unc. \$2.50.
 Peru, 1863, 5 Soles. Pattern and regular dies. Both about unc. Scarce set. The pair \$25.
 Santiago, 1807, 8 Scudos or Doubloon of Carolus IV. Ex. F. \$27.50.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICAN SILVER

- Argentina, 1883, 50 C. Ex. F. \$1.25.
 Bolivia, 1827, 1 Bolivar. Unc. \$3.50.
 Bolivia, 1845, 8 Reals. Small head of Bolivar. Unc. \$4.
 Brazil, 1869, 2000 Reis. Fine. \$2.25.
 Chili, Santiago, 1817, Peso. Volcano, column. Fine. \$3.50.
 Chili, Copiaco, Necessity Peso. \$3.50.
 Chili, 1881, Peso. Unc. \$2.50.
 Chili, 1859, 50 C. Ex. F. \$1.50.
 Cuba, 1815, 8 Reals. Counterstamped on Spanish Dollar. Fine. \$4.25.
 Cuba, 1897, souvenir Peso. Unc. \$2.25.
 Dominicana, 1891, 5 Francs. Pattern, struck in Paris. Good silver. Semi-proof. \$5.
 Dominicana, 1897, 1/2 Peso. Paris mint. Good silver. Unc. \$3.
 Ecuador, 1897, 1 Scure, Lima. Unc. \$3.50.
 Ecuador, 1884, 1 Scure. Rev., Heaton, Burmingham. Unc. \$4.50.
 Ecuador, 1916, 1/5 Scure. Rev., Philadelphia. Unc. \$2.50.
 Haiti, Boyer 50 Cents. Fine. \$1.50.
 Haiti, 1887, 1 Gourde. Unc. \$3.
 Brazil, 1820, John VI., 960 Reis. Unc. \$2.50.
 New Granada, 1848, 10 Reals. V. G. Scarce. \$3.75.
 Mexico, 1813, Morelos 8 Reals. Silver. V. rare. V. F. \$12.50.
 Mexico, 1915, Oavaca, 2 Pesos. Part gold. V. Fine. \$5.
 Mexico, 1915, Oaxaca, Peso. Unc. \$2.
 Mexico, 1915, Oaxaca, 50 C. Unc. \$1.50.
 Mexico, 1914, famous Death to Huerta Dollar. (Originally sold at \$7.50.) Unc. \$3.50.
 Mexico, 1915, Peso struck by the army of the North. Fine workmanship and rare. \$4.

- Mexico, 1914, Zapata, 2 Pesos. Rare. \$3.50.
 Mexico, 1913, the first Villa coinage, 50 C. Unc. \$1.50.
 Paraguay, 1889, Peso. Lion and Liberty cap. V. F. \$6.
 Peru, 1874, Sol. Mint luster. \$2.50.
 Peru, 1837, 8 Reals. Sharp unc. Rare so choice. \$4.
 Panama, 1904, Peso. Unc. \$2.25.
 Zacatecas, 1811, 8 Reals. V. G. for coin. \$4.50.
 Zacatecas, 1812, 8 Reals. Bust. Good for coin. \$4.50.
 Mexico, the famous Pillar dollar under Spain. V. F.
 \$1.75.
 West Indies, 1809, perforated dollar. V. F. Rare. \$5.25.

\$1,000 a Letter

There sold in Philadelphia the other day a set of autographs of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. Whose brought the highest price? John Adams, Samuel Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Jefferson? Not at all. The top price went for the signature of Button Gwinnett to a document. Some collector wanted those fourteen letters, \$14,000 worth. Next to top price went for a signature—not even an autographed letter—of Thomas Lynch, Jr. It brought \$2,600. Both Gwinnett and Lynch died before the Revolution ended, both were young men, and neither had bulked large in public affairs. Letters from Washington and Jefferson were treasured in their lifetimes, by their contemporaries; letters from Gwinnett and Lynch were not. Letters of Washington and Jefferson are, in comparison, common.

What has all this to do with business? It's an instance of the rarity factor in price. Part of the price of diamonds is their rarity. And yet rarity isn't enough. There must be some other quality before there is a market. Thousands of men lived lives that paralleled in time those of Gwinnett and Lynch; yet no one wants their signatures. They didn't sign the Declaration. There are other signers whose letters can be bought for a few dollars. They wrote too many.

A price is a complex thing.—The Nation's Business.

A Three Hundred Dollar Coin for just Eighty Dollars!

The only difference between the \$300 coin and the one I here offer for just \$80 is that the higher-priced coin has not got a plug in it.

Gosh, I almost forgot to tell you what the coin is. It is no less a rarity than the Colorado Clark Gruber & Co. TWENTY DOLLAR GOLD PIECE of 1861. It is in fine to very fine condition. But some playful former owner punched a small hole at top, and a subsequent owner tried to cover up the sins of the former by filling the hole with gold. Of course, a plugged coin is not a perfect coin. But neither is \$80 the same as \$300. So, I still insist that this is a bargain for some lucky collector. First order for \$80 gets it.

A Few Other Rare Pioneer Gold Coins At Fair Prices

Calif., 1853, \$20. U. S. Assay, 900 THOUS. About fine. \$30.

Calif., 1854, \$20. Kellogg. Very fine. \$32.50.

Calif., 1852, \$10. Moffat & Co. The great rarity, 264 GRS. Record for this variety \$375. About fine. \$80.

Calif., 1852, \$10. Humbert. Good. \$15.

Calif., 1849, \$5. Moffat. Fine. \$14.

Calif., 1849, \$5. N. G. & N. Milled edge. V. F. \$38.

Carolina, \$5, 134 G. 21 C. Ex. Fine. \$32.

Carolina, \$2.50, 70 G. 20 C. Unc. \$125.

Carolina, \$2.50, 67 G. 21 C. Fine. \$45.

Carolina, \$1, ONE, N reversed. 28 G. V. F. \$11.

Carolina, \$1, 30 G. About unc. \$15.

Georgia, \$5, 128 G. 22 C. About fine, slight planchet defect. Record over \$100. Price, \$40.

Georgia, \$2.50, 64 G. 22 C. Very fine. Record up to \$70 for this variety. \$60.

Georgia, \$2.50. As last but nicked. \$16.50.

Colorado, 1860, \$5. Ex. F., sharp. \$27.50.

Colorado, \$5, 1861. About fine. \$17.50.

Colorado, \$2.50, 1860. Fine. \$20.

Utah, 1860, \$5. The rare variety with lion, eagle and beehive. V. F. Record over \$150. Price, \$100.

Large U. S. Cents

NUFF SED

Be your own judge as to price—but I KNOW that the following Cents will not be mine long at the prices I am offering them for.



- 1793 Chain Cent, AMERICA. Very fair. \$9.50.
- 1793 Chain, AMERICA. Good. \$11.
- 1793 Wreath. Very good. \$9.25.
- 1793 Wreath. V. G., but slightly nicked. \$6.50.
- 1794 Hayes 3. Fair to very fair. Very rare. \$9.50.
- 1794 Hayes 11. Good to very good. \$7.25.
- 1794 Hayes 15. Strictly very good. \$3.75.
- 1794 Hayes 18. Die break on obverse showing. Good to V. G. Rare. \$6.50.
- 1794 Hayes 33. Good. \$2.25.
- 1794 Hayes 34. Good. \$2.40.
- 1794 Hayes 34. Fine. \$5.25.
- 1794 Hayes 39. Large planchet. V. G. \$3.25.
- 1795 Medium planchet, plain edge. Approaching fine. Value central. \$3.25.
- 1795 Thick planchet, lettered edge. Good. \$3.
- 1796 Liberty cap type. Good. \$2.25.
- 1796 Bust type. Gilbert 14. V. G. \$4.25.
- 1797 Plain edge, milled borders. Nearly fine. \$3.
- 1797 LIBERTY and face double struck. Fair. Rare. \$2.10.
- 1797 So-called "milled" edge. V. G. Rare. \$3.50.

LARGE U. S. CENTS—Continued

- 1797 Daughty 93. Fine, but surface slightly corroded. \$2.10.
- 1798 Unusually large 8 in date. About fine. \$4.25.
- 1798 D. 110. Very small 8. Very good. \$3.15.
- 1798 D. 112. Broken die. V. G. to fine. \$3.25.
- 1798 D. 115. Large close date. V. G. Off center. \$2.10.
- 1798 D. 119. Very good. \$2.
- 1798 D. 121. Strictly fine; glossy surface. \$4.20.
- 1798 D. 132. Broken die. Good. \$2.10.
- 1798 D. 134. Cracked planchet. Ex. F., but edge nicked. \$3.25.
- 1799 Hardly fair, date barely showing but guaranteed. \$8.25.
- 1799 Perfect date. Strictly very good. \$32.50. (A bargain.)
- 1800 D. 143. Reverse of broken die variety. Fine to V. F. \$5.25.
- 1800 Perfect die. Good. \$2.25.
- 1801 Perfect fraction. V. G. to fine. \$2.50.
- 1802 Stems to wreath. Newcomb 14. Fine. \$3.25.
- 1802 D. 168. Very good. \$1.50.
- 1802 D. 169. Nearly fine. \$2.10.
- 1802 D. 170. Very good. \$1.75.
- 1802 D. 171. Reverse, leaf between ED in UNITED. Very rare. About fine. \$5.25.
- 1802 Perfect fraction, widely spaced. Strictly fine. \$3.15.
- 1802 D. 175, Rarity 5. Very fine; sharp. Beautiful cent. \$4.20.
- 1802 D. 178. Very fine; glossy surface. \$3.15.
- 1802 D. 176. No stems. Good. \$1.40.
- 1803 Small 3 in date. Large fraction. V. G. to fine. \$2.25.
- 1803 Small 3, small fraction. Nearly fine. \$2.25.
- 1803 Small date and fraction, no stems. Very good. \$2.65.
- 1803 D. 180 with reverse of D. 166 of 1802. V. G. \$2.75.
- 1803 D. 190. Very good. \$2.10.
- 1803 Not in D. Obverse, 190. Reverse 186. Fine, steel color. \$4.20.

LARGE U. S. CENTS—Continued

- 1803 Large 3 in date. As rare as the 1799. Good. \$5.25.
- 1804 Good, but surface corroded; date very good. \$8.50.
- 1804 Die break on obverse only. Strictly good. \$17.50.
- 1805 Blunt 1. Very good. \$1.65.
- 1805 D. 199. Very good. \$1.65.
- 1805 D. 200. Good. \$1.50.
- 1806 Good. \$1.25.
- 1806 Very good. \$2.
- 1807 Small date, large fraction. Good. \$1.25.
- 1807 Small date, small fraction. Very good. Scarce.
\$2.10.
- 1807 over '06. Very good, approaching fine. \$2.10.
- 1808 D. 209. V. G. to fine. \$2.25.
- 1809 Very good. \$3.25.
- 1810 Perfect date. Very good. \$1.75.
- 1810 Not in D. Fine to very fine. \$4.50.
- 1810 over '09. V. G. \$2.10.
- 1810 D. 212. Very good. \$1.65.
- 1811 over '10. Good. \$3.25.
- 1811 Perfect date. Very good. \$2.90.
- 1812 D. 218. Good. \$1.50.
- 1812 D. 219, small date. Very good. \$1.60.
- 1812 D. 220. Good to V. G. \$1.75.
- 1813 D. 221. Very fine. Beautiful cent. \$5.25.
- 1813 D. 222. Fine. \$2.25.
- 1814 Crosslet 4. Ex. Fine, light brown surface, sharp.
\$3.15.
- 1814 Plain 4. Ex. Fine; sharp, steel color. Beautiful
cent. \$5.25.
- 1814 Plain 4. Very good. \$1.35.
- 1814 Crosslet 4. V. G. \$1.40.

The Following Cents Are Described According to Andrews

(Can supply a copy of this excellent book for only \$1.)

- 1816 A. 2. Nearly uncirculated. Medium olive. \$4.25.
- 1816 A. 6. Very fine. \$1.50.
- 1816 A. 7. Very fine. \$2.10.
- 1816 A. 8. Very good to nearly fine. Rare. \$2.10.
- 1817 A. 2. Fine. \$1.25.
- 1817 A. 3. Fine. \$1.25.

LARGE U. S. CENTS—Continued

- 1817 A. 5. V. F., sharp. \$1.75.
- 1817 A. 6. Rare. V. F., sharp. \$2.25.
- 1817 A. 8½, mouse variety. Good. Rare. \$2.65.
- 1817 A. 16. 15 stars. Good. \$1.
- 1818 A. 3. Very rare. Stars very close to date. Fine. \$4.20.
- 1818 A. 6. Large date, perfect die. V. F., light brown. \$3.25.
- 1818 Broken die. Unc., mint luster. \$2.
- 1819 A. 2. About fine. \$1.25.
- 1819 A. 3. Small date. About fine. \$1.25.
- 1820 A. 10. Small date. V. F. \$1.
- 1820 A. 13. V. G. \$1.
- 1820 Broken die. Bright uncirculated; mint luster. \$2.
- 1821 A. 1. Very good. \$1.
- 1821 A. 2. Very good. \$1.50.
- 1822 A. 8. Very fine. \$1.40.
- 1823 Perfect date. V. G., nearly fine. \$4.20.
- 1824 A. 2. V. G. \$1.
- 1825 A. 2. Fine. \$1.25.
- 1825 A. 4. Very good. 90c.
- 1826 A. 1. V. G. to fine. 75c.
- 1826 A. 4. Fine to very fine. \$2.25.
- 1826 A. 5. Strictly fine. \$1.75.
- 1826 A. 6. Very fine. \$1.50.
- 1826 A. 7. Fine to V. F., light olive. \$2.10.
- 1826 A. 9. Ex. Fine, sharp, steel color. \$3.25.
- 1827 A. 3. Fine. \$1.20.
- 1827 A. 5. About fine. \$1.35.
- 1827 A. 8. Fine. \$1.10.
- 1828 A. 1. Large date. About fine. \$1.10.
- 1828 A. 3. Very good. \$1.
- 1828 A. 6. Nearly fine. \$1.
- 1828 A. 9. Fine to V. F. \$2.10.
- 1829 A. 6. V. G. Scarce. \$1.60.
- 1829 A. 8. V. G. to fine. \$1.10.
- 1830 A. 1. Fine. 75c.
- 1830 A. 3. Very good. 60c.
- 1830 A. 6. Very good. \$1.10.
- 1830 A. 8. Very good. Scarce. \$1.10.
- 1831 A. 4. Fine, but has been cleaned. 50c.
- 1831 A. 6. About fine. 65c.

LARGE U. S. CENTS—Continued

- 1831 A. 12. Fine. \$1.10.
- 1831 A. 12¹/₄. V. G. Scarce. \$1.25.
- 1832 A. 1. Ex. fine, sharp; cleaned. 50c.
- 1832 A. 2. Very good. 60c.
- 1832 A. 3. Fine. \$1.10.
- 1833 A. 1. About fine. 65c.
- 1833 A. 2. Fine. Scarce. \$1.25.
- 1833 A. 3. Fine. 60c.
- 1833 A. 5; date and stars connected on right. Fine. \$1.25.
- 1834 A. 1. About fine. 75c.
- 1834 A. 1; but without die break. V. G. to fine. 80c.
- 1834 A. 2. Very good. 50c.
- 1834 A. 2. V. F., sharp. \$2.10.
- 1834 A. 3. Very good. 50c.
- 1834 A. 4. V. G. to fine. 65c.
- 1835 A. 1., with large periods on reverse. V. G. 50c.
- 1835 A. 2. V. G. Scarce. \$1.10.
- 1835 A. 5. About fine. 75c.
- 1835 A. 6. Fine. 60c.
- 1835 A. 7. V. F. \$1.10.
- 1835 A. 7, with crack on rev. Fine. \$1.25.
- 1835 A. 8. V. G. Scarce. \$1.10.
- 1836 A. 2. Fine, sharp. 75c.
- 1836 A. 3. Ex. fine. \$1.
- 1836 A. 4. Very fine. 90c.
- 1836 Not in A. Curved date. Die break over sixth star. Fine. \$1.25.
- 1836 A. 5. Fine. 90c.
- 1837 A. 4. V. G. Scarce. \$1.65.
- 1837 A. 5. Very fine. \$1.
- 1837 A. 6. Fine. 60c.
- 1837 A. 7. Very good. 45c.
- 1837 A. 9, beaded hair cord. Unc. \$2.50.
- 1837 A. 11. Very fine. 80c.
- 1838 A. 1. Very fine. 50c.
- 1838 A. 6. Very fine. 50c.
- 1838 A. 12 in Appendix. Light crack. V. E. \$1.10.
- 1839 A. 1, over 1836. Good. V. Rare. \$3.75.
- 1839 A. 2. Head of 1838. Fine. 90c.
- 1839 A. 5. Booby head. V. G. 75c.
- 1839 A. 8. Type of 1840. V. G. 65c.

1839	A. 10. Good.	75c.
1840	A. 2. Small date. About fine.	\$1.
1840	A. 4. Small date. V. G.	75c.
1840	A. 6. Ex. F., nearly unc.	\$3.25.
1840	A. 10. V. G. Rare.	\$1.10.
1841	A. 1. Ex. F., light brown.	\$1.50.
1841	A. 2. Very good.	\$1.10.
1841	A. 4. V. G. to fine.	75c.

A FEW REALLY FINE AND RARE CENTS

AT CENTS-ABLE PRICES

1793 Crosby 11-J, lettered edge. V. F., glossy surface. A beautiful cent and a bargain at \$35.

1793 Ameri. Hair slightly re-touched. Fine. Pin-point nick on obverse edge. Have known no better specimens to sell at \$100. Price \$25.

1793 Wreath. Crosby 7-F. Prac. uncirculated. Even brown surface. A gem. \$105.

1793 Liberty cap. Very good. \$25.

1795 Plain edge. Value central. About unc., light olive surface with traces of original red. \$20.

1797 D. 100. Rev., double-struck. Extra fine, glossy steel color. \$9.

1797 D. 96. V. F., glossy brown surface. Beautiful cent. \$11.50.

1799 over '98. Very good, can be classed as fine for coin. Not a scratch or nick on it and with medium brown surface. You'll go a long time before you ever run across an equal specimen of this great rarity. \$95.

1799 Perfect date. Fine for coin; usual steel color. Can be classed as very fine with slightly glossy but surface as usual, trifle rough. \$100.

1803 Large 3 in date. Very good. \$6.

1804 Perfect die. Nearly fine, can be classed as fine for coin. \$28.50.

1805 Pointed 1 in date. Extremely fine; sharp and with light brown surface. A beautiful cent and a mighty rare one in choice condition. \$12.

A FEW REALLY FINE AND RARE CENTS—Continued

1805 Another extremely fine cent of this scarce date. Came to me as "uncirculated mint red" but believe the coin has been cleaned many many years ago but has every appearance of being a finely toned mint red cent. Has beautiful surface. \$17.50.

1810 Perfect date. Uncirculated. Obverse, medium brown. Reverse, lighter brown. Perfectly centered and well struck. Another mighty rare date in unc. condition. \$27.50.

1814 Crosslet 4. Uncirculated, rich brown surface. Sharp, but trifle off to right. \$9.

LARGE U. S. CENTS AT "WHOLESALE"

I have quite an accumulation of poor to fair large Cents. Don't ask me what they are good for. But other collectors bought them, and I had to buy them. But you'll agree with me that you can't go wrong in buying these

**Large Copper Cents
at only \$2.15 per 100**

or I will sell a THOUSAND of them for only \$18.25.

And just think, I know of just one large Copper Cent sold for \$2500.00 and I have sold some at \$500 to \$1000 each! (However, these will NOT be included in the above lot.)

This May or May Not Be

a foolish thing for a Coin Dealer to do, but here goes:

I need U. S. Half Cents, ordinary kind, and will pay \$20.00 per hundred for ordinary specimens, none badly worn or mutilated. Will buy any liberal quantity. If you have any, send them on. This offer is NOT a permanent one. I want the coins now, and not next year.

B. MAX MEHL.

P. S.—Of course, I'll buy ANY other coins too, especially rare ones. I pay spot cash whether the deal amounts to \$100.00 or \$100,000.00.

SMALL FOREIGN GOLD COINS

AT SMALL PRICES

England, George I. 1718 Quar. Guinea. V.F. Scarce. \$4.25.
Scotland, 1601, Half "Sword and Scepter Piece." Very fine. Rare. \$7.25.

Russia, 1756, Elizabeth Two Ruble piece. Ex. Fine. Fine portrait. \$6.50.

France, Louis XIII. 1642. Demi Ecu d'or. (Size of U. S. \$3.) Very fine. \$7.75.

France, Louis XIV. 1648. Louis d'or. Young bust. V. fine. \$11.50.

Morocco, Second Sharif Dynasty, dated in native characters, 1249. Size of U. S. \$2.50. Y. gold. F. Scarce. \$6.

Ariches of Beneventum. Triens. Portrait of Christ. About 600 A. D. Reverse, a cross. Very fine. Scarce. \$7.50.

England, James I. (1603-1625) Gold half crown of second issue. Fine. Rare. \$4.25.

Russia, 1756. Elizabeth Ruble. Ex. F. F. portrait. \$4.25.

Russia, Katherine II. Gold Ruble. Very fine. \$4.50.

Madras. Gold Pagoda. (1660-1684) Figure of God Swami. V. F. Rare. \$5.50.

England. Edward III. (1327-1377) Quarter Noble. Spade Shield. Fine. \$7.50.

England, James I. (1603-1625) Half Laurel. Fine portrait. V. fine. Price only \$8.25. (Cat. price \$12 to \$15.)

England, James I. Gold Britain Crown. Fine. Scarce. \$7.

Papal, 1853. Piux IX. Scudo or gold dollar. Portrait of the Pope. Unc. \$4.50.

Mayence, About 1581, Ducat. Bishop seated on throne. V. Fine. \$5.

Mexico, Gold dollars of the old type. Eagle on cactus. V. F. \$1.60.

Mexico, Two peso pieces, size of gold dollar. Unc. \$1.50.

Holland, 1855. Ducat. Warrior standing. V. fine. \$3.90.

Cologne. Ducat. Bishop standing. Fine. Scarce. \$6.

Costa Rica, 2 Colones. Bust of Columbus. U. M. \$2.40.

Guatemala. 4 Reals. Fine little gold coin. Scarce. \$1.60.

Central America. 1847 Dollar. Sun-mountains. F. \$3.

England. 1725 Half Guinea of Geo. IV. Ex. fine. \$6.

England. Half Sovereign of William IV. Fine. \$3.50.

New Foundland. Two-Dollar Gold Piece. F. Scarce. \$3.40.

Larger Foreign Gold Coins

at Larger "Money"—But SMALLER PRICES!

Australia, 1867, Sydney Mint Sovereign. Very good. \$6.25.

Anhalt, 1747, Ludovicus Ducat. Arms and bears. Fine. Slightly bent. \$4.50.

Austria, Marie Theresa, 1765, Double Ducat. Madonna. Fine. \$6.60.

Belgium. 1914, Twenty francs. Unc. V. rare, as most of coinage melted by the Germans. \$14.

Belgium, 1761, seven gulden. Horseman. V. F. Scarce. \$5.25.

Belgium, 1868, Leopold II. 20 francs. Ex. fine. \$4.50.

Bavaria, 1642, Double ducat of Maximillian, who is kneeling before Madonna. Very fine. \$12.

Bavaria, 1903, Ten Marks. Unc. Scarce. Mint state. \$5.25.

China, \$5 gold of General Tang, Province of Yunnan. Unc. Rare. \$15.

Canada, 1912. \$5. First year of issue. Uncirculated. Rare. (Record up to \$20.) Price, \$12.

Chile, 1859. Five pesos. Very good. Scarce. \$7.

England, James I. 20 Shilling piece. V. F. (Size of \$10.) \$12.

England, Edward IV. Gold Noble. King in ship. V. Fine. Rare. \$18.

England, Henry VI (1427-1461) Noble. King with sword and shield standing in ship. Ex. Fine. Beautiful coin. \$21.

England, James I. Sovereign. Crowned bust of King. Fine. \$9.25.

England, James I. Half Laurel. Laureated bust. Fine. \$7.25.

England, 1698, William III. Half Guinea. Good. \$4.

England, Edward II. Noble. King with sword and shield in ship. Very fine. \$22.

England, James I. Unite. Large portrait bust. Fine. \$14.

England, George III. 1777. Rose Guinea. Fine. \$8.

Germany, William II. 1903. 20 Mark. Unc. Getting very scarce. \$5.50.

Hamburg, 1642, ducat. Madonna on both sides. About Unc. \$5.50.

LARGE FOREIGN GOLD COINS—Continued

Japan, Oval gold coin, oban. size of U. S. \$3. Price, \$3.50.

Macedonia, B. C. 336-323. Alexander the Great. Stater. Head of Athena; reverse, winged Nike. Very fine. A good buy at \$30.

Naples. 1760. Six Ducat Piece. Ferdinand IV. Uncirculated. A beauty. \$17.

Portugal, 1809, Half Joe. John, Prince Regent. Fine. Scarce. (Larger than U. S. \$10.) Price, only \$14.

Prussia, William I. 20 marks. 1873. Fine. \$5.50.

Prussia, 1799. Fred. d'Or. Wilhelm III. Eagle on War Trophies. Good. \$6.

Prussia, 1888. Frederick, 20 Mark. PROOF. Rare. This ruler only reigned but 80 days. Rare in proof. \$12.

Prussia, Frederick, 1888, Ten Mark. As last. Semi proof. Rare. \$6.25.

Russia 1898. Nicholai II. Last of the Czars. 5 Rubles. Fine. \$4.

Russia Alexander III. Father of last Czar. 1889. 5 Rubles. Large size. Uncirculated. \$5.50.

Rome. Arcadius, 395-408 A. D. Solidus. Emperor with foot resting on fallen foe. Very fine. \$10.

Scotland, James VI. 1602. Sword and Scepter Piece. Fifth Coinage. Very good. Scarce. Record up to \$20. Price, \$10.

Bit of Authentic Information on the Rare Coinage of Oaxaca

The following is an excerpt from a letter received from one of my correspondents:

"The silver coins of Oaxaca all have a small percentage of gold, as there was no refinery in Oaxaca to separate the two metals. A friend of mine, George M. Houston, bought a large part of the coins after Oaxaca went back into the Federal Government, and made a considerable profit by sending them to a refinery, where the gold was extracted. I know everybody connected with this coinage, and the mines from which the gold and silver came."

F. M. L.,
Casa Grande, Ariz.

COMPLETE SET OF EARLY U. S. SILVER DOLLARS

All early U. S. silver is getting very scarce and difficult to obtain. So this set can almost be termed a bargain.

The collection consists of all the principal varieties of the early dollars from 1795 to 1803: Two varieties of 1795; two of 1796; two of 1797; three of 1798, including two with the small eagle, one with 13 and one with 15 stars (both rare); and one of each of the other dates. All in average fine condition or better.

Price for the entire collection only \$85.

(My regular list price for an ordinary set is \$93.75.)

A Set of Early Dollars—One of Each Date

If you don't care for the different varieties, I have a set of the early dollars, the nine different dates, 1795 to 1803, for only \$45. (List price, \$51.)

REMARKABLE COLLECTION OF French Silver Crowns—(Dollars)

(The result of about 35 years collecting.)

Collection of French silver Crowns or Dollars from Louis XIII, 1643 to about 1886, including the different types of each issue, together with a fine series of the coins of Napoleon, including those of his relatives and others whom he was instrumental in placing on various thrones of Europe. This collection is the result of over thirty years of collecting and improving and the entire collection is either uncirculated or proof. I doubt if there is another collection in this country to equal it.

Eighty-nine (89) coins, all of dollar size, all in gem condition. Practically a complete numismatic history of France from 1643 to date. It would take years to equal this collection.

The entire collection, \$360.

Thanks, Mr. Clarke—

"I am waiting your next Coin Circular; and take more pleasure in receiving it, than all other coin publications."

That's a mighty gracious compliment, and I'll try to give you more of the Coin Circular.

B. M. M.

HUGE SILVER COINS AT SMALL PRICES

**You'll agree with me on size—and also on price—
after you see and consider rarity and
condition of coins.**

(Sizes given in millimeters.)

Brunswick, 1666, Four Thalers (nearly 3½ inches in diameter). Bust of Augustus, figures on either side. Fine. Rare. \$40.

Sweden, 1634, Quadruple Crown, struck in memorial of Gustavus Adolphus. Magnificent coin of highest metallic art. King dying on battle field. Reverse, King in chariot. 78 mm. Very fine. Rare. Valued by some up to \$100. Price, \$40.

Brunswick-Luneburg, 1655, Broad Double Thaler, size 62 mm. Augustus mounted. Fine. Rare. \$14.

Brunswick-Luneburg, 1662, Broad 1½ Crowns. Size 64. King mounted. About fine. \$9.50.

Brunswick, Henry Julius, Broad Triple Crown, 1612. King mounted L. Reverse, large shield. Size 65. Fine. Rare. Said to have cost \$65. Price, \$30.

Saxony, John George, 1650, Broad Triple Crown. King standing with sword. Reverse, circle of shields. Size 64. Fine. (Jenks' sale brought \$20.) \$12.25.

Munster, 1648, Broad Crown on Peace of Westphalia. View of Munster. Very fine. Size 54. \$6.

Groningen, Broad Crown, 1672. View of city and army in field. Very fine. Only \$5.50.

Holland, 1711, Broad 1½ Crown, issued during the great religious Reformation. View of Christ being baptized in the river Jordan. An interesting and historical coin. Fine. \$6.25.

The Customer Relationship

We, as business men, today measure our prosperity by the number of satisfied customers we serve. The average man is not remembered by what he deems his famous act or some notable victory; but rather by his little courtesies and his unselfish deeds and cheerful words. That is what builds Goodwill.

AND Huge Copper Coins!

SWEDISH COPPER PLATE MONEY

LARGEST COINS EVER ISSUED

(These should be sold by weight—but here go some good bargains.)

1727, Four Daler. One of the best I have ever seen. Every stamp sharp. Size $9\frac{1}{4} \times 9\frac{3}{4}$ inches. \$30.

1741, Four Dalers. Not quite as fine as last but the stamps perfectly centered and well struck. Size $8\frac{1}{2}$ inches square. Few nicks on obverse. And a bargain at \$25.

1721, Two Dalers. A very good specimen, $6\frac{3}{4} \times 7\frac{1}{4}$ inches. \$13.50.

1724, One Daler. All stamps perfect. Size $4\frac{3}{4} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Fine. \$14.

One Daler, 1748. Size $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches square. Very good. \$12.

One Daler, 1758. Size 5 inches square. Very good. \$12.

1749, Half Daler. A remarkably fine specimen with every stamp perfect and bold impression. Size $3\frac{3}{4} \times 4\frac{1}{4}$ inches. Rare. \$11.

1736, Half Daler. Stamps well sunk into the coin. Size $3\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Fine. Rare. \$11.50.

RARE NECESSITY COIN IN GOLD!

TABORA, 1915, German East Africa, gold 15 Rupees. Elephant, mountain in distance, date, T for Tabora, below. Reverse, German arms. Unc. Rare. These pieces sold up to \$50 to \$75 each when first brought on the market some few years ago. Have just ran across a little "nest" of six specimens and will sell them as long as they last, at \$15.50 each. I'm almost tempted to urge you to buy one just for an investment.

Father's Occupation

"What does your father do?" asked the visitor.

"He's a numismatician."

"Why, a numismatician is a coin collector."

"Yes," said the boy, "that's what my father is. He's a conductor on the Winnipeg Electric."

CHINA

is now in the limelight. It may be well for you to see what the famous Generals look like, as portrayed on their coins.

The following are all in silver, dollar size, and all are scarce. Some are rare. Please note condition:

Souvenir Dollar of Dr. Sun Yat. Unc. \$3.50.

Dollar of Yuan Shi Ki. The rarest variety with portrait and in full military uniform. Unc. \$15.

Dollar, Same General as last but in military uniform without hat. V. F. \$4.50.

Dollar, Yuan Shi Ki. The last issue. Portrait facing to left. Unc. \$2.50.

CHINA GOLD!

Yunnan, gold 5 Yen of General Tang. His portrait. Rev., crossed flags. Native characters. Unc. Very rare. Probably not more than 5 to 10 specimens in this country. Very few struck. Only have one in stock and first cash order gets it. Price \$15.

A Fine Compliment—But—

(The following is a copy of an actual letter received by me. It is here given word for word—spelling or misspelling—just as received.)

“Dear Sir Mr. Mehl i am not interested in auction sales so it aint no youse of you sending me anny moore of your auction books but i am interested in old coins i received your coin circular two or three times and i shure injoid looking at the bargains in it please send coin circular every month and oblige.”

J. S. _____

Penna.

Glad you enjoy “looking” at the bargains. But don’t hesitate to buy some of the bargains. I’m good natured, and shan’t get angry even if you order some every month. Try it and see!

B. M. M.

U. S. PROOF SETS

Just a Few Good Sets at Mighty Fair Prices
and Some Mighty Rare Ones too—

Going up all the time. Better buy NOW.

1834, 50c, 25c, 10c, 5c. Excessively rare, in original Steigerwalt envelope. \$25.

1854, Half cent, large cent, 3c, Half Dime, 10c, 25c, 50c and \$1. The 50c is brilliant uncirculated, all others proofs. Excessively rare set. \$30.

1855, same denominations as last. The 50c is brilliant uncirculated, all others proofs. Excessively rare. If purchased separately would cost over \$50. Price \$32.

1900, 1c to \$1. \$4.25.

1901, 1c to \$1. Getting mighty scarce. \$4.25.

1903, 1c to \$1. Gem set. \$4.25.

1904, 1c to \$1. Rare set. The \$1. alone has a record of \$5. Price \$6.25.

1906, 1c to Half Dollar. \$3.50.

1895, 1c to \$1. Rare set. \$5.75.

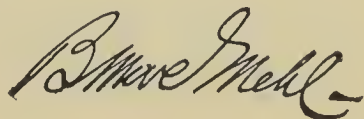
Phillipine Islands under U. S., Half C. to Dollar. Complete proof set. \$2.40.

R. R. Announcement

The Editor or publisher or whatever the perpetrator of this little welcome publication may be called, very often makes pilgrimages to various parts of our glorious country for various and sundry coin reasons.

So, if ever you want some free sage advice about ANY numismatic topic, whether I know anything about it or not, or if you just want to satisfy your curiosity and see what a Texas Coin Dealer is like, if you will invite me, I'll be delighted to come and see you if you are not too far removed from my more or less beaten path. I am easily entertained and pleased. I don't smoke; gamble but little and—yes, I do take one now and then.

And if you have a collection of coins for sale, I'll buy it quick and pay good for it quicker.



INDIAN PEACE MEDALS

For Sale Cheap!

The Indians undoubtedly wondered why these silver medals presented to them were called "PEACE Medals." Anyway, they accepted them, wore them. And now, collectors have something interesting to collect and the dealers have something more to sell.

Most of the following Indian Peace Medals are from an old collection. They are all in silver and all are rare. A word about my prices for them:

I HAVE PRICED THEM TO SELL.

1817, James Monroe. Bust of the President. Reverse, clasped hands, tomahawk and pipe of peace. Holed as issued. Size 50. Very good. \$30.

1829, Andrew Jackson. Type as last. Fine, well struck. Dug up at Charleston in 1862. \$52.50.

1837, Martin Van Buren. The largest size, 62. Holed as issued. Very fine. \$40.

Fillmore, 1850. Head of President Fillmore. Reverse, white man and Indian standing before flag. The large type, size 62, with original loop. Very fine. Very rare. \$60.

1853, President Pierce. Head to left. Reverse, as last. The largest size, 75. Very fine, lightly nicked. Very rare. \$62.

1792. Copy of the famous and excessively rare early Washington engraved medal, but struck and dated and gold plated. Oval shape, size 75x102, with loop and ring. Washington and Indian, smoking pipe of peace. Perfect. Very handsome piece. \$20. (The original worth several hundred dollars.)

British, George III., the large Indian Peace Medal. Fine portrait bust. Reverse, Royal arms. Size 75, with original clasp. Practically perfect. Rare. \$50.

British, George III. Medal as last but the rare small type. Holed as issued. Size 60. About perfect. \$45.

The above is a dandy nucleus to start a collection of these rare and interesting pieces. Anyone who thinks the same as I do may have the entire lot as above listed for only \$335.

A Few Fine Coins of Our Cousins

From Across the Pond

(Offered at Less than you can buy them in London)

ENGLISH GOLD COINS

Edward III., 1327-77, Noble. King in ship. V. F. \$22.

Edward III., Quarter Noble. V. F. \$7.25.

Edward IV., 1461-83, Noble. Rose Mint mark. Rare. V. F. \$24.

Henry VIII., 1509-46, Angel. First coinage, mint mark a castle. Unc. \$17.50.

Queen Mary, fine Sovereign, 1553-54. Beautiful large coin. Queen seated on throne. V. F. Rare. \$52.

James I., 1619-25, 30 Shilling piece. King seated on throne. V. F. Very rare. \$52.

James I., Laurel or 20 Shillings. V. F. \$14.50.

James I., Britain Crown. Fine. \$6.25.

James I., Half Crown of second issue. Rare. Record up to \$10. Price, \$5.25.

Commonwealth, 1649, 10 Shillings. First year of issue. V. F. Rare. \$17.50.

Cromwell, 1656, Broad. About unc., mint luster. Ex. Rare. \$50.

Charles I., 1643. Oxford Three Pound piece. About unc. Beautiful large and extremely rare coin. \$125.

Charles I. (1625), 20 Shilling or Unit (size of U. S. \$10 but thinner). \$17.50.

Charles I., gold Crown. Portrait. Fine. Rare. \$5.25.

Charles I., 1643. Unit. Oxford mint issue. Fine. Rare. \$25.

Charles II., 1662, beautiful gold Broad by the famous great artist Thomas Simon. Brilliant proof. Ex. rare. \$60.

Charles II., 1681, Five Guinea piece. Fine. \$45.

William & Mary, 1690, Guinea. Conjoined busts. Fine. \$8.50.

James II., 1687. Five Guineas. Ex. F., brilliant. Very rare. \$62.50. (Cost former owner \$70.)

William III., 1701, 5 Guineas of the third type. Unc. Beautiful coin. \$65.

William III., 1698, Guinea. Elephant and castle below bust. Fine. Rare. \$15.50.

William III., 1698, Half Guinea. V. F. \$7.50.

- Queen Anne, 1709, Double Guinea. V. F. \$24.
 George I., 1726, 2 Guineas. Prac. unc. Rare. \$27.50.
 George I., 1717, 5 Guineas. About unc., brilliant. \$55.
 George I., 1725, Half Guinea. Unc. Rare. \$8.
 George II., 1738, Double Guinea. V. F. \$21.
 George III., 1769, Rose Guinea. So-called "Love-Lock."
 Unc. \$10.50.
 George III., Spade Guinea. V. F. \$9.50.
 George III., 1808, 1/3 Guinea. V. F. \$4.
 George IV., 1826, 5 Sovereigns. Brill. proof, not struck
 for circulation. \$65.
 Victoria, 1839, the famous Una and lion Five Pound
 piece. Small scratch on head, otherwise perfect proof. \$50.

AND SOME FINE ENGLISH SILVER COINS

- Edward III., 1327-77, Groat, London mint. Uncirculated.
 Wonderful specimen. \$4.
 Edward VI., 1551, Crown. Very fine, well struck. Re-
 markable specimen for this coin. \$17.50.
 Elizabeth, 1601, Crown. Fine. Very rare. \$18.50.
 Elizabeth, 1601, Half Crown. Fine. Rare. \$9.
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England, 1797, Cartwheel Penny. Beautiful light olive proof. \$4.50.

England, 1797, Cartwheel Penny. Bright red proof. \$2.75.

England, 1814, Birmingham Penny Token. Fine. \$1.25.

England, old mint weights; hexagon and two round. Rare. Set of three \$2.25.

England, 1792, Lady Godiva Halfpenny. Lady Godiva nude on horseback. Each 75c or three different varieties for \$2.

England, William & Mary, Halfpenny and farthing, 1694. V. G. The two, \$1.40.

Ireland, 1795, Halfpenny with reverse of Liberty and Security. V. G. \$1.75.

Hawaii, 1847, Cent. Unc. Scarce so choice. \$1.75.

Hawaii, brass token, Kamehameha, III in center. Reverse, blank. V. G. Rare. \$3.25.

South Afr. Rep., 1892, Penny. Br. Proof. \$1.

Siberia, rare set of 1, 2, 5 and 10 Kopeks. Catalogs up to \$15. Price for the set, \$6.50.

Canada, 1839, Montreal Sideview Halfpenny. Fine for coin, dark brown surface. A bargain at \$22.50.

Mexico, 1812, Morelos 8 Reals. The rare variety with M and two stars counterstamped. V. G. \$5.50.

Mexico, 1813, Morelos 8 Reals. V. F. \$2.10.

Liberia, rare set of Pattern coins, 1 Cent to Half Dollar, all different and all proofs. Set of ten coins, the set, \$11.50.

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Austria, Goritz, 1 and 2 Soldo. V. G. The pair, 90c.

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Barcelona, 1812-14, 4 Quartos. Fine set. \$1.25.

Barbadoes, 1788, Penny. Negro, pineapple. V. F. \$1.25.

Barbadoes, 1792, Penny. Negro. Rev., Neptune. Fine. \$1.50.

Barbadoes, 1792, Halfpenny. Fine. Rare. \$2.25.

France, 1824, Pattern 5c and 10c of Louis VIII. Olive proofs. The pair, \$2.25.

France, 1792, 2 Sous, Bell metal. V. G. 60c.

France, 1792, the scarce 5 Sol piece with view of soldiers swearing to the Constitution. V. F. \$1.10.

Azores, 1750 to 1875, 5 to 20 Reis. Fine and scarce set of 7 pieces. \$1.50.

Dominicana, 1844 to 1891, $\frac{1}{4}$ Real to 10c. Set of 6 pieces, \$1.25.

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The beautiful U. S. FOUR-DOLLAR gold piece of 1879, together with the two beautiful dollars of 1879 issued with it—the Silver Metric and Goloid Metric Dollars. All in proof condition. The \$4 gold piece alone has an auction record of over \$150, but—

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There were not many coined, so I believe they'll advance to a much higher price level.

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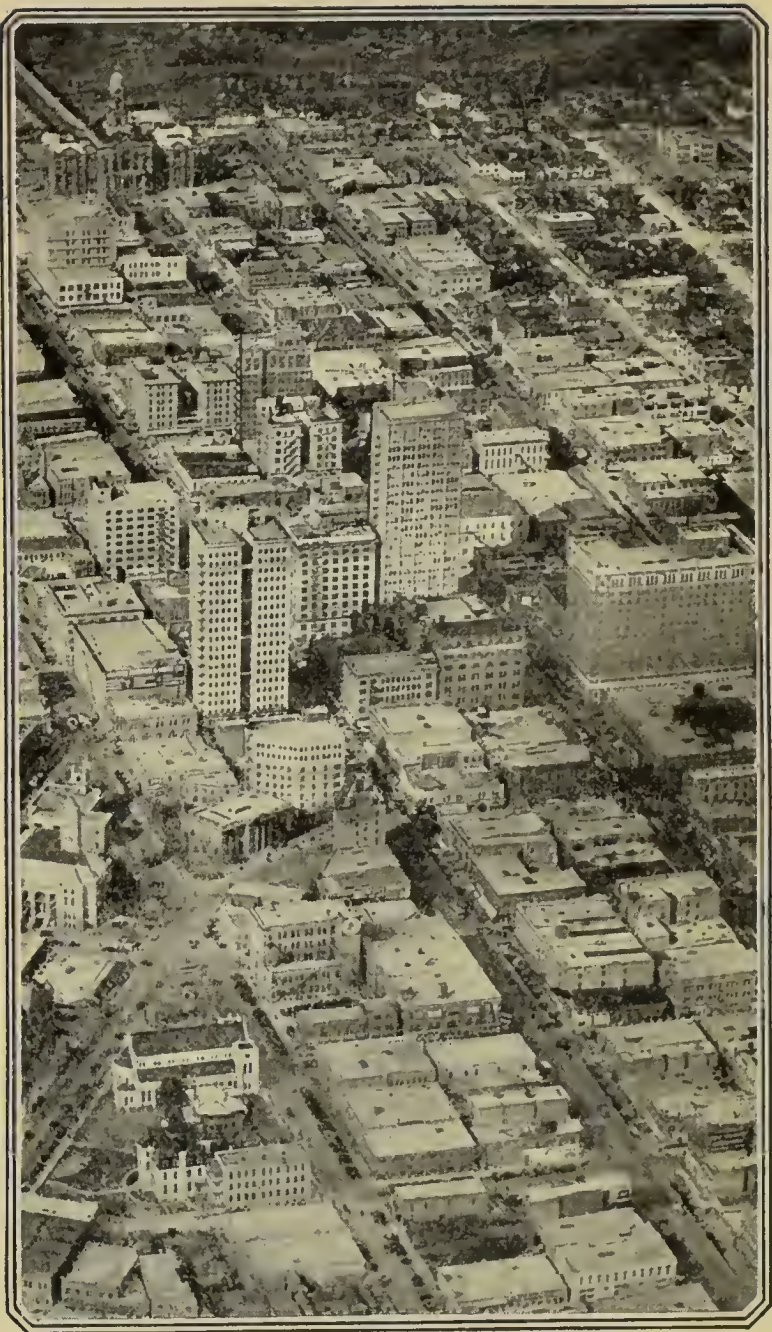
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First Issue, complete set perforated notes, 5c to 50c. \$7.
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25c, Third Issue. Heavy fibre paper. \$2.25.

50c, Third Issue, Justice seated, green back, heavy fibre
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25c, Fessenden, the great rarity with 25 in solid bronze
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25c, Fessenden, as last but slightly cracked and re-
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10c, Washington, red back, printed signatures. \$1.40.

10c, Washington, autograph signatures. Colby & Spin-
ner. \$2.25.

10c, Washington, autographs of Jeffries and Spinner.
\$3.50.

25c, Fessenden, red back. \$1.65.

RARE U. S. FRACTIONAL CURRENCY

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50c Spinner, autograph signatures of Colby and Spinner. \$3.25.

50c Spinner, autographs of Allison and Spinner. \$12.

50c, Justice, autograph signatures of Colby and Spinner. \$3.25.

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